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List of Regulated Substances and Thresholds for Accidental Release Prevention; Requirements for Petitions; Proposed Rule

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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List of Regulated Substances and Thresholds for Accidental Release Prevention; Requirements for Petitions Under Section 112(r) of the Clean Air Act as Amended

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). ACTION: Proposed rule; extension of comment period and notice of public hearing.

SUMMARY: On January 19, 1993 the Environmental Protection Agency proposed a list of regulated substances and threshold quantities as required under section 112(r) of the Clean Air Act as amended. EPA also proposed the requirements for the petition process that will be used to add or delete substances from the final list. The list and threshold quantities will determine the need for owners and operators of

facilities to comply with future regulations under 112(r) of the Clean Air Act as amended, addressing the prevention and detection of accidental releases. This notice extends the public comment period for the proposed rule and schedules a public hearing.

DATES: The comment period for the proposed rule will be extended from the original closing date of March 22, 1993 to May 14, 1993.

EPA will hold a public hearing on this proposed rule on April 12, 1993, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Individuals who wish to participate in the public hearing must register as participants and must submit their written statements in full on or before April 2, 1993.

ADDRESSES: Comments on the proposed rule may be mailed or submitted to: Environmental Protection Agency, Air Docket (LE-131), Attn: Docket No. A-91-74, Waterside Mall, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460.

The public hearing will be held at the EPA Headquarters Auditorium, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. Written statements for the public hearing should be mailed to Vanessa Rodriguez, Chemical Emergency Preparedness and Prevention Office, OS-120, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. Those wishing to present statements at the public hearing must call (703) 218-2570 to register. Statements for the public hearing as well as comments on the proposed rule must be submitted in duplicate.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Vanessa Rodriguez, (202) 260–7913, Chemical Emergency Preparedness and Prevention Office, OS–120, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460, or the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Hot Line at 1–800–535–0202.

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